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General Meeting Morinville Seed Cleaning Co-op Ltd.

MORINVILLE.—Minutes of the first general meeting of members of Morinville Municipal Seed Cleaning Co-op Ltd., held at the municipal office, Morinville, on August 30, 1949.

The chairman, John Schafers, called the meeting to order at 9 p.m. and he had the secretary, Walter Ellett, read the minutes of the meeting held at Morinville on August 16, 1949.

Moved by M. Saffin and seconded by P. Hogue that the minutes be adopted as read. Carried.

A general discussion on the operation of the proposed plant was now entered into as well as consideration being given to the number of directors required.

Moved by O. Sinclair that a seven man board of directors be set up. Seconded by Ken McIlmoyle. Carried.

Moved by Angus McGillis that two of the four directors elected at this meeting hold office until the first annual meeting and the other two to hold office until the second annual meeting. The directors elected to draw for first and second term. Seconded by M. Saffin. Carried.

The chairman now called for nominations for directors of which four are to be elected by members at this meeting, two are to be appointed from the Service Board and one by the Department of Agriculture.

Nominations were as follows: 1, John Stevens; 2, Mark Saffin; 3, J. H. Perras; 4, Angus McGillis; 5, Mac. Lirondelle; 6, J. G. Dusseault; 7, Maurice Tellier; 8, Napoleon Douziech.

Moved by Paul Hogue that nominations cease. Carried.

Ballots were prepared by Mr. J. O. Patry and voting was proceeded with. Mr. Parkinson and Mr. Fontaine assisted with counting of ballots.

The results were as follows: Elected—1, John I. Stevens; 2, Maurice Tellier; 3, Napoleon Douziech; 4, Angus McGillis.

Drawing of lots for different length terms was done by drawing names from a hat, which was done by Mr. Parkinson, the first two names to be directors until first annual meeting and the other two for office until second annual meeting.

Directors until first annual meeting: J. I. Stevens, Maurice Tellier.

Directors until second annual meeting: Nap. Douziech, Angus McGillis.

Moved by J. G. Dusseault and seconded by Oscar Hittinger that the directors be the building committee. Carried.

The general meeting was now adjourned at 11 p.m.

The directors now sat in with Mr. A. M. Wilson, field crops commissioner and Mr. Parkinson, agricultural engineer to discuss building plans.

Mr. Parkinson went into some detail on construction of a plant. He also agreed to contact Mr. Anderson, contractor, who built plants at Wetaskiwin and Westlock, to make an appointment for Mr. Anderson to meet the directors at Morinville. Mr. Walter Ellett to be advised as to the date. (On August 31, 1949, Mr. Parkinson phoned advising that Mr. Anderson would be through Morinville September 3 and will look over location for plant).

The meeting was adjourned at 11:45 p.m.

—Central Press Canadian

A posse of 50 men have been unsuccessfully searching for the body of Mrs. Emma Pohl of Kitchener, Ont., shown with her children, Beverley, 13, and Dennis, nine. She has been missing from her home since Sept. 13 and announcement came from Deputy Chief John Patrick of Kitchener that "We are looking for a body, not a living woman."

—Central Press Canadian

Held on a public mischief charge in connection with the disappearance of Mrs. Emma Pohl is William Stuart, 30 (above). His mother, Mrs. John Stuart of Galt, Ont., was first thought missing until she cabled her family from London, Eng., is returning to Canada as soon as passage is arranged. "I can't believe my son would get into trouble of that sort," she said, on hearing of his arrest.

Police Search for Body of Missing Kitchener, Ont., Woman

B. of M. Inaugurates New Headquarters in Toronto

TORONTO. — Marking the end of one of the largest office-building projects in Toronto in recent years, Toronto press representatives preview the Bank of Montreal's newly - completed, 16-storey edifice in the heart of Toronto's financial district.

Canada's most up-to-date and best-equipped bank and office building, this new home for the B of M's Ontario headquarters and Toronto main office also has office space for tenants with staffs numbering more than a thousand. With its spacious lounges rest rooms, dining rooms and kitchens, its first-aid hospital and fire department and a host of other outstanding features, it is like a small, self-contained city.

The B of M's main Toronto office opens for business the day after Labor Day, in the impressive banking room on the building's ground floor. Various other bank departments, including its Ontario headquarters, have already moved into the 2nd, 3rd and 4th floors, while a large securities department and its immense vaults will be on the sub-ground levels. The building's 12 upper floors comprise office space for tenants.

MAXIMUM SECURITY

Designed and constructed to provide maximum security, the super-vaults incorporate the most advanced protective features known, including drill and torch-resistant, laminated steel and copper linings—used for the first time in Canada—massive steel doors and automatic alarms. They are also under constant guard.

Other outstanding features included in the building's up-to-the-minute structural details are special air-conditioning units on each floor, a four-zone heating system which is regulated by automatic controls, and a series of large sculptures, in bold relief, placed over the entrances. Termed Canada's "most ambitious architectural sculpture effort" to date, they have already evoked much comment.

DELAYED BY WAR

Work on the project began in July, 1939, but was suspended later that year, due to the outbreak of World War II. Resumed in March, 1946, it was finally completed this month, after several delays caused by post-war shortages of labor and materials.

Canadian-designed and Canadian-built, this modern edifice of Queenstown limestone, steel and concrete was erected by Anglin Norcross (Ontario) Ltd.

New Residents

ST. ALBERT. — Ralph Martin of Valent and Martin, St. Albert Trail, is bringing his family to St. Albert to live. Mrs. Martin, Marguerite, 20; Pauline, 17; Raymond, 13; Lucille, 11; and Leon, 9, are presently living at Ponteix, Sask.

Mr. Martin is completing a new home for them in the town which they will occupy.

In the ark with Noah there were four women, his wife, and the wives of his three sons.

New Editor

ST. ALBERT.—Mrs. Lillian H. Vague has been appointed the new local editor of the St. Albert Gazette. She succeeds Miss Hermine Lamoureaux.

Mrs. Vague is the local school teacher. Her husband is the St. Albert Wheat Pool agent.

Music and Drama In Historic Setting

The International Festival of Music and Drama in Edinburgh, now running its third season, will draw some 240,000 people to Scotland's historic capital city. This constitutes a record attendance, being 10 per cent greater than last year and 38 per cent bigger than during the first season. There will be two musical world premiers as well as two world drama premieres during the Festival. Musical works are a piano concerto by Ernest Block and a cello concerto by Martinu. Plays being given their first presentation are a modern comedy by the Eliot, and a drama by Peter Ustinov. The Bicentenary of Goethe's distinguished British poet T. S. birth has inspired what will be one of the Festival's highlights. The Russeldorf Theatre Company are presenting Faust in German.

Former Hardisty Man Has South Edmonton Fur Shop

C. G. Kendricks, who was born in Manitoulin, Ont., and raised in Hardisty, Alta., has now taken over the Alaska Fur Shop at 10526 Whyte Avenue, South Edmonton.

Mr. Kendricks, whose parents still live at Hardisty, was educated in Hardisty schools and learned the fur business at Winnipeg and Toronto. He was in business in West Edmonton before coming to Whyte Avenue.

A son, Roy and daughter Kay will assist him in the new shop. Mr. Kendricks states that Hardisty and district residents coming to the city can easily "stop in" at the Alaska Fur Shop on their way in or out as the shop is right on the highway route in the South Edmonton business section.

MORINVILLE NEWS

MORINVILLE — Mrs. Rose Martel spent the long week-end in Edmonton visiting with her brother and sister-in-law.

Mrs. Landry is back from the hospital where she underwent an operation recently.

Gerry St. Germain and family, with Fred Martel and d'Arcy spent Labor Day week-end at Alberta Beach.

The Morinville hotel became a hospital last Thursday when Mrs. I. Cox of Busby, while being rushed to an Edmonton hospital, was overtaken by the stork at Morinville. Mrs. P. Montpellier and Mrs. M. Milner were in attendance.

FAREWELL PARTY

A farewell party was held for Lucien Morrissette who is leaving September 14 to enter the Seminary at Edmonton. About 150 gathered at his home Sunday night, Sept. 4. Card games and community singing were enjoyed by young and old. After the presentation to Lucien of a Sunbeam electric razor and $118 in cash a delicious lunch was served by the ladies of Morinville. The party was organized by a few intimate friends and Lucien wishes to thank one and all who contributed to the party and the gift.

CFRN Barn Dance is Coming to Town

MORINVILLE. — From Morinville, Alta., it's welcome to the "Barndance," Friday, Sept. 16 at 9 p.m.

Heres your chance to meet the Barndance gang who entertained you over CFRN for the past years. Sponsored by the Associated Canadian Travellers, the CFRN Barndance travels to a different Northern Alberta town every Friday evening. Following the actual air shows at 9 p.m. the Barndance gang will play all your favorite oldtime and western songs . . . and there'll be dancing far on into the night.

You'll meet Gaby Haas . . . old "Dad' Taylor and of course, the "Barndance Queen' . . . Dixie Dean. You've heard them on the air . . . you've read about them in the papers . . . now meet the gang in person when the CFRN Barndance comes to town Friday, Sept. 16. Remember, the entire proceeds go to the Northern Alberta Crippled Children's Fund . . . so let's all turn out for the Barndance to be held in the Community hall in Morinville.

Canada's lone entry in the Cleveland air races has qualified. He is F-L J. H. G. McArthur of the RCAF, Edmonton. McArthur, RCAF ace during the war, took leave of absence in order to try and bring the speed crown to Canada. His aircraft, purchased from War Assets Corporation, was named the City of Edmonton.

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Pray Together - Stay Together

On Sunday, the Archbishops and Bishops of the Roman Catholic Churh in western Canada and Alaska announced the beginning of the Family Rosary Crusade.

Largest ever attempted, the six-weeks' campaign has as its purpose restoration of family prayer.

Rev. Father Patrick Peyton, the director, began the movement in 1942 by a letter to a bishop. Three years later a coast-to-coast radio broadcast went on the air. Since that time, Family Theatre, which exorts followers of all religions to prayer, has become a popular radio feature and a number of successful diocesan crusades completed.

First crusade was in London, Ont., resulting in 90,000 pledges to say a daily Rosary. Others which followed were equally satisfactory. When the present crusade is completed, the first in the U.S.A. will start in Scranton, Penn.

The appeal comes when the issue has been joined in what may be the significant struggle of our generation: the Church versus Communism. The Catholic Church has always emphasized the value of family life. If Communism has not been openly hostile it has been inimicable to the family unit and the Church has opposed it on this ground as well as because of its progressive tendency to become anti-clerical.

In our democratic way of life, while the family is the smallest social unit, it is the most important. Destroy the family and civilization as we know it will disappear.

Our hearts and our most cherished memories are tied to the family. Need of the day is not less, but more, family life.

In stressing the importance of family life and the efficacy of prayer—neatly combining both in the slogan "The family which prays together, stays together"—the Crusade appeals to principles which are basic in all religions. While Catholics are asked to pledge themselves to say the Rosary, traditional Catholic family prayer, non-Catholics are urged to adopt whatever family prayer is deemed suitable.

Prayer is the soul's medicine.

Many of us only pray when he need help and then sometimes do not recognize the nature nor source of that help. Like the little boy falling off the roof who first frantically prayed for aid, then said: "Never mind, I'm caught on a nail."

In Lord Tennyson's immortal lines: "More things are wrought by prayer than this world dreams of." Not only for ourselves sometimes but for others, as a story reprinted from Coronet, appearing elsewhere on this page, so aptly illustrates. Only those who never tried it know not the power of prayer.

From the family a nation derives its power and its glory; from prayer, the individual his solace and his strength.

LET US SOBERLY CONSIDER AFTER THE SHOUTING STOPS

The Atlantic Treaty, allying 12 countries in defence of the west, is now formally a reality.

Not for a moment is anyone going to minimize the importance of this historic pact. Yet is seems to us that, in some quarters its significance tends to get out of perspective: as if it were a substitute for the United Nations or a further step to world unity.

Like all alliances it is directed AGAINST something as well as standing FOR something. While officially it must be denied that the union for defence is directed against Russia, Stalin must at least be credited with an assist. If no danger existed from the spread of Communism it is doubtful if such a treaty could have been negotiated, even if thought of.

World history is full of treaties, alliances, and friendship and common-defence pacts. At one time during the power of Napoleon, practically the rest of the world was allied against him. Enemies in one war often became friends for the next when a powerful enemy arose to threaten the security of both.

Indeed, England's avowed policy for generations was balance of power in Europe: to form alliances which would offset any concord of powers against her or to prevent the emergence of one overwhelming power on the continent.

The Atlantic Treaty not only accords with the tradition of history but illustrates the practicability of inevitability. To us in the west, it is reassuring, gives teeth to our ability to defend our rights, and more particularly it underlines the complete desertion from the isolationist policy of the United States.

Long prior to World War II, it was apparent that world co-operation without the United States participation was an impossibility. In that sense, the Atlantic Treaty is a long step in the direction of world solidarity.

But the point still has to be emphasized that to have world co-operation, union and peace, it must be in conjunction with Russia, not under some union which not only excludes her but quite openly is a warning to her to mind her "p's" and "q's".

The United Nations is still the doctor to whom we must look to restore the health of the world, and its deliberations are a fairly accurate fever chart.

Confidentially

Unlikely to Require Cremation Over Again

By JAY LLOYD

Admiral of the Fleet Sir Roger Keyes once made a more apt reply than he realized.

A cub reporter (I plead not guilty) asked him:

"Who was the father of the British navy?"

"Good God!" exclaimed Sir Roger.

"That's the correct answer, sir," said the aide-de-camp as Keyes re-estimated his chance reply with a contemplative smile.

From a few of the British naval types I've known, I got the impression that, if Divinity did not inspire formation of the navy (with a bit of help from Lord Nelson,) he certainly took a benign interest in its welfare and exploits.

But that may be my Air Force prejudice. At least the Air Force could claim closer proximity to the celestial!

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BY APPOINTMENT

When Viscount Tweedsmuir died at Ottawa while still in office as Governor-General, his body was cremated by a Montreal firm.

Much to the surprise of Rideau Hall staff, a letter was afterwards received from this firm asking if it could now use, "By appointment to His Excellency the Governor-General."

Col. H. Willis O'Connor, permanent aide-de-camp, replied that as "by appointment" was given for service to His Excellency during his life time, and as it was unlikely that such service would ever be required again, Government House must reluctantly refuse.

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IDENTITY CONFUSION

One of Col. O'Connor's duties was to attend funerals as representative of the Governor-General. It is doubtful if any man in Canada, outside of an undertaker, has been present at more interments.

Col. O'Connor had a namesake in Ottawa who predeceased him, and after the story of the death of this Col. Willis O'Connor was carried by Canadian Press, Government House for days was deluged by telegrams and letters of sympathy.

Willis was not aware of this until he was called into Lord Tweedsmuir's office.

"I want you to represent me at an important funeral of a man who apparently was highly respected and esteemed," said the Governor-General without a flicker of a smile.

"Whose is it?"

"Seemingly your own," Viscount Tweedsmuir said, showing him the sheaf of condolences.

"Who will represent the Governor-General?" Willis wanted to know.

"Do you think he merits it?"

At this point, Willis thought he had better "come alive." And, as usual, Col. Willis O'Connor represented His Excellency at the funeral of Col. Willis O'Connor.

Homesteads in North May Be Opened

EDMONTON. — The provincial government is considering the possibility of opening up 80,000 acres of land for homesteading northwest of Spirit River in the Peace River area, Alberta Lands and Forest Minister Tanner said recently.

Mr. Tanner said a survey of the land probably will be made about the end of September. He said representations have been made to him asking that the land be opened up.

My Son . . .

By LAWRENCE L. NICHOLS
(Reprinted from Coronet)

Tomorrow, my son is being married to a girl he met just after he got back from the Pacific. She is a wonderful girl, and says she won't mind at all being a doctor's wife. To them, tomorrow will be a day of great happiness, and to me (as have all the momentous events in my son's life) it will mean going back many years, to those bewildering hours that will always return to the surface of my memory, reminding me that I almost lost him.

It was just after midnight, those many years ago, that the doctor brought me the news, I had been pacing for hours in the hushed hallways of the hospital. I shall never forget the shock that swept through me when the doctor finally emerged, pale and drawn, from the elevator. He didn't need to speak. I knew instantly that something unforeseen and terrible had happened.

He tried to break the news gently, but I was too stunned to hear half his words. My wife, Margaret, had died while giving birth to our first child—a baby we had planned for with all the love and devotion of a marriage that had brought us both deep happiness.

Just as the baby had been delivered, her heart had stopped beating. But the child had lived. A fine boy, perfect in every way. Those were the doctor's exact words . . .

I cannot remember too clearly what happened next. I know that I shouted at the doctor, and told him I never wanted to see the baby. I said he could send it to a home for adoption, or do whatever else they did with unwanted children. In my highly irrational state, I subconsciously blammed the baby for Margaret's death, and the act of disowning him seemed to me to be a kind of revenge.

The next thing I recall, I was wandering aimlessly through the deserted streets of the city, along the edge of the river. The doctor had given me a pill, and had told me to go home and get some sleep. But I could not go back to the apartment. It held too much of Margaret. She had a touch for homemaking. Things had not always been prosperous for us, but even when we had been forced to live in furnished rooms, she had made them bright and cheerful.

There was an icy wind blowing off the river, and I turned up my coat collar as I walked. My mind was blank. It seemed as though I was lost in a void, with my brain refusing to believe what it knew to be true.

It was 5 o'clock in the morning before I realized that I had wandered for miles. I found myself in a dimly lit neighborhood of grimy tenements and dingy shops. Suddenly I was so exhausted that I wanted to lie down in the deserted street and sleep.

Then I saw the church, a small brick building with a steep flight of steps going up from the sidewalk. I had never been particularly religious, but I was drawn to the church almost instinctively. In a kind of dream I climbed the steps.

It was not a church of my own faith, but I walked slowly down the shadowy aisle, tiptoeing so as not to dispel the silence, and slipped into a pew facing the altar. I had no thought of praying.

I had been sitting there for half an hour when the old woman appeared. I hadn't noticed her until suddenly she was there, kneeling in front of me. I am sure she did not see me in the shadows. The light from the candles illuminated her face and hands, like a painting. Her face seemed almost young, although prematurely lined; but her folded hands were very old, and gnarled and twisted by heavy work. I assumed at once that she was a charwoman.

Then she spoke, in a rich Irish brogue. And in the strange stillness of the church, I could hear every word clearly.

"Here I am, Father," she said, and her voice held a warm intimacy which I had never associated with prayer. "You have guided me through my night's work, and I thank You. I cannot stay this morning. There was no one to help the boy with the steps. But he sends You his devotion. I know You are taking good care of Tim up there. Tell him we are happy. We think of him every day."

She paused, "And thank You, Father, for leaving the boy to comfort me." She bowed her head and whispered. "Amen."

It was the strangest prayer I had ever heard, and it took me a moment to realize that it was not a prayer at all. It was a conversation with God.

I watched the old woman struggle to her feet and make her way painfully down the aisle. Suddenly, it seemed urgent that I follow her. As I half-opened the door, she was moving slowly down the steps toward a man at the curb. He sat in a worn wheel chair, and it was clear at a glance that his affliction was no temporary illness. His limbs were wasted and misshaped under his thin coat. I knew instinctively that he had been chained to that chair for years, probably since childhood.

As the old woman laid her hands on the back of the chair, I heard her say: "I spoke for both of us, son. And a little extra for myself, this morning."

I could not move until mother and son had been swallowed in the shadows of the deserted street. Then I turned back to the church. A strange exhilaration flooded through me as I turned my eyes to the spot where the woman had been kneeling. A gust of wind slipped past me, and the guttering candles seemed to blaze up for an instant with an unearthly glory.

My breath caught, and tears at last came into my eyes. Then I turned quickly and ran down the steps of the church. My heart was racing, and my feet seemed to carry me effortless, guiding me through the maze of streets, back toward the hospital and my son.

Poultrymen Ask Amendment

EDMONTON. — Amendment to provincial legislation governing marketing baords will be sought in a brief now in preparation by a three-man committee representing the Alberta poultry industry, it was learned.

Committee members said they would seek government permission to set up a board which would permit them to establish their own floor prices and negotiate export contracts. They will also approach other provinces to see their co-operation in the matter so that a federal marketing act may be established.

Members of the committee are K. V. Kepler of Strome, Eric Triska, Edmonton, and Jack Rhodes, Brant.

They said Alberta poultry men are seeking marketing methods as an alternative to the Canadian egg contract with the United Kingdom. They said marketing would safeguard farmers against loss in case the contract is not renewed.

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Export Of Oil To U.S. Likely

EDMONTON.—Acting Premier N. E. Tanner indicated that a petroleum exchange agreement may soon be signed with the United States allowing Alberta to export oil to that country.

Under the agreement, the U.S. would buy oil at the lakehead. Eastern U.S. producers in turn would sell oil to Eastern Canada.

Speaking to members of the Edmonton Kiwanis Club, Mr. Tanner said such an agreement would only be possible after completion of a proposed pipeline from Regina to the Great Lakes.

Mr. Tanner said that if such a policy were not agreed to by the U.S., Alberta oil could only be shipped to Eastern Canada at a greater cost. "We don't feel this will be necessary," he said. "We think the United States will cooperate."

He said certain U.S. Interests oppose the U.S. importing oil from Canada and have accused Canada of trying to invade the American market. An agreement along the lines he outlined would do away with any such accusations, Mr. Tanner stated.

Mr. Tanner stated that if the search for oil in Alberta is successful, there should be a proven reserve of 5,000,000,000 barrels found in the next five or six years. This would provide a possible daily production of about 500,000 barrels, 100,000 more than Canada's daily requirements.

The province's present proven reserve is about 1,000,000,000 barrels, and although daily production could be about 80,000 barrels, he said, proration regulations keeping output down to 60,000 barrels.

On the province's natural gas industry, Mr. Tanner said the provincial government has adopted a strong policy of "Albertans first."

"We are determined to protect the citizens of Alberta and see their needs are taken care of, he said.

He said if and when the government is satisfied that Albrta's present and future needs are assured, then export will be considered. Even then, Canadians will have priority.

A recent survey conducted by Gulf Oil Co., set known gas reserves to 2,000,000,000,000 cubic feet, Mr. Tanner said.

The petroleum conservation board is determining, with the help of the best technical information, whether or not natural gas at Leduc and Pincher Creek, is needed to maintain pressure for oil production.

"If the conservation board decides the gas is needed for this purpose then it will be used for this purpose," said Mr. Tanner.

At present, natural gas from the wells in both areas is being "flared" or burned.

The resources minister said it "nonsense" to attempt piping natural gas to every hamlet and home in Alberta. He said this is economically impossible. He added however, that if natural gas were to be exported, many of the hamlets would be able to get gas they would not otherwise receive.

Mr. Tanner pointed out that Alberta also has more coal reserves than all the rest of Canada. He referred to the tar sand deposits in northern Alberta and explained that production is going ahead.

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Approval Needed But Work Is Done

MORINVILLE. — Ratepayers will be asked to approve a project which will probably be an accomplished fact.

Administrator S. V. Lee and the Board of Trade, which acts as sort of an unofficial council for the town, approved paving of main street, and work had already started when it was found the proposition would have to have formal approval of ratepayers.

Vote is to be taken on September 26 and by that time the contractor, E. G. Erickson of Meadow Lake, Sask., expects to have the pavement almost completely laid.

At the same time pavement is being done concrete is being laid in the business section, for which individual property owners are bearing the entire expense.

Workmen who were digging up the wooden sidewalks had a bonus for their work as they found nickels, dimes and quarters which had been lost through the cracks over the years. Every worker was keeping an anxious eye out and first finder was the owner.

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Rather it helps move merchandise faster, permits distribution economies, provides for mass production and mass sales and ultimately lower prices, with savings both for the consumers, sellers, distributors, wholesalers and manufacturers.

Take for example the classic case of the nationally-advertised light bulb. It costs only one-fourth as much now as it did for an inferior one in 1923. Again, in 1929 the average radio set cost $135 and only a few thousand people were proud owners. Now an average set sells for about $50.00 with ownership in the millions, and so it goes. Mass production, spurred on by judicial advertising, has brought prices down.

THE ST. ALBERT GAZETTE

Stork Pays Unexpected Visit

MORINVILLE. — M. Milner, popular proprietor of Morinville Hotel, is still trying to pull his shattered nerves together after officiating at an unexpected birth, the first one he has ever had in his hotel, and the first such one to his knowledge.

Mrs. Milner says she doesn't know why he should be so excited about it as she had to do all the work.

While Mrs. I. Cox of Busby was en route to hospital in Edmonton, the stork came more quickly than expected, and very early in the morning she had to stop over in Morinville.

At 6:30 a.m., the baby boy was born before medical assistance arrived. Dr. Perrault of Morinville said that Mrs. Milner had done an excellent job as midwife.

PICKARDVILLE NEWS

PICKARDVILLE. — The oil drilling outfit is expected to move a half mile north of the centre to start work this week. Accommodation is being made at the hotel for the workers.

Clarence Sutherland is combining sweet clover. The clover crops are turning out better than expected earlier in the summer.

Some of the lower places reported frost on Sunday evening.

The Red and White formerly owned by T. P. Gillmore, has been purchased by Mr. H. Richardson, the present owner.

A. F. Smith took his boat out to Monola and launched it on the Paddle River. Next Sunday he plans to go cruising down the river.

The Smith family spent the week-end at Manola.

Mr. and Mrs. F. La Pierre had a house full of relatives and friends from out of the district the past week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Rector of Edmonton were week-end visitors at Mrs. M. Rector's, their daughter-law's home.

Miss Mary McLoughlin was visiting relatives over the long week-end.

Mrs. Jean Whillans has her sister from the city visiting her for a few days.

Mrs. Roy McAlister of Morinville is visiting at her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Gabe's home.

New Vessel For Arctic Patrol

OTTAWA. — Canada is to have a streamlined, modern, new vessel for eastern Arctic patrol.

Constructed at Lauzon, Que., the 2,600-ton ship will take over patrol service next summer. It includes the latest equipment, including a helicopter to be used for determining ice conditions ahead of the craft.

The vessel will replace the Nascopie, which sank in 1927. It is built mainly of steel to withstand heavy ice.

Council Notes

McMURRAY.—The town council has appointed Mr. A. McDonald as poundkeeper. All stray dogs will be put in the pound, and if not claimed and looked after will be destroyed. The town is now selling dog tags again and citizens are urged to get them for their dogs immediately or else their dogs will be impounded.

THE CLASSIFIED SECTION

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FOR SALE — One-ton 1939 Ford truck in good shape. One Minneapolis 1936 28" separator with belts. Apply G. L. Rau, Belseker. C S-3-10

FOR SALE OR TRADE — 1926 Dodge converted farm truck; 10-ft. Cockshutt power binder, cut 900 acres. Apply George D. Borgel, Strome. C A-27 S 3-10

FOR SALE — One 1947 International KBS-8 truck with Renn steel dump box. Also one 1949 International KBS-8 with Dominion steel dump box. Both trucks have hard-rock lug tires; all extras are included and both are in excellent condition. Also one all-weather 18-foot house trailer. This will be sold with either truck or separate. For further particulars write or telephone Leonard Mellafont, Coutts, Alberta, phone is R-104. P A-13-20-27; Sept. 3-10.

BUSINESSES

FOR SALE — Fully licensed hotel. Large turn-over. Reasonable. Attractive opportunity for ambitious man. Enquire Box 20, 10815 Whyte Ave., Edmonton. C A-20-27-S-3-10.

FOR SALE — Prosperous Edmonton Beauty Salon in the heart of the city. Employs four operators. Low rent, long lease. $4,000.00. Half cash down, balance arranged. Write Joseph Lieberman, 10541 90th St., Edmonton. C S-3-10

FOR SALE — Morinville Radiator Repair Shop. Living quarters, on the highway. Plenty of work. Telephone, hot and cold running water, sewers. P.O. Morinville Radiator Repairs, Morinville, Alta. X P S10-17-24 O-1

COP LEARNS AWFUL TRUTH

ZANESVILLE, Ohio — When the driver in a minor traffic accident said he had been unable to see the guard rail at a dead end street, a patrolman decided to test the story. The brakes on the police cruiser failed and the patrolman, too, rolled through the rail, down a 20-foot slope and into a stream. No one was injured in either mishap.

FORGOT TO REMEMBER

TONKAWA, Okla. — The Rev. Chalmers T. Henderson delivered a sermon on memory and forgetfulness. The congregation listened attentively, then gasped as the service closed. The Rev. Henderson had forgotten to call for the passing of the collection plate.

HOMES and BUILDINGS

FOR SALE—Small home, 12x16, to be moved. Located in town of Opal. Contact Mrs. A. Betts, 12209 125 street, Edmonton. C S-3-10-17

FOR SALE — Five-room, modern home, suite in basement, sewer, electricity, water; 20-minute drive to Edmonton centre on paved highway. Also player piano. Good condition. Box 64, Morinville. P S-10-17-23

FOR SALE — Six-roomed house in Dayslands. Five acres of land. Car Shed 14x24.' One Granary 16x16; Chicken House. One Chicken Coop 10x14. One Barn and Lean-to 30x30. Apply Sven Longhe, Strome. C A-20-27-S-3-10.

FOR SALE OR SWAP — Nice corner lot with small house for sale or swap located in the oil town of Opal. Contact Mrs. Betts, 12209 125 St., Edmonton. C S-3-10-17

FOR SALE—Four-room house and lot in Hardisty. Wood and coal shed. One other building. Pagewire fenced. Phone Killam (43) clerk number 4. P A-31 S-7

FARM LANDS

FARM FOR SALE — A quarter-section farm on highway, 1½ miles from Radway. 145 acres under cultivation, fair buildings, two good wells. Cash preferred, but terms can be arranged. For further particulars apply to N. Kunnas, Real Estate and Insurance, Radway, Alta. C S-3

FOR SALE—½ section N.W. section 1, township 51, range 23, 4th meridian; ½ N.E. section 2, township 51, range 23, 4th meridian; ½ S.W. section 2, township 51, range 23, 4th meridian. Good building, good soft water supply, 1½ miles to school and station, 19 miles from Edmonton. 125 acres cultivated, 40 acres cleared, 12 acres in alfalfa, 50 acres Red Top hay. Apply E. Hildebrand, Looma, Alta. C T-F

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FOR SALE—Good Hereford Bull, 2 years old. Quiet. Apply to W. Fabrick, Lishburn, Alta. P S-10.

MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE — Pre-war baby carriage, perfect condition, grey wicker, sturdily constructed (use as crib up to three years) reversable body, rubber tires, $20. Apply Mrs. J. W. Howard, Amisk. X P A-27 S-3-10-17

FOR SALE—Accoustiсon Hearing Aid. Good condition, with set of new batteries, $28.00. Miss Agar, 9649-106th St., Edmonton. Phone 28344.

FOR SALE—Two good milk cows with calves born Aug. 7 and June 15; new Winchester .22 repeater; kitchen cabinet, white enamel, $10.00; Lister 2 horse-power engine, perfect condition, $40.00; twine cylinder ⅝ Maytag motor, A1 condition, $25.00; Craftmaster table saw, 8-inch, like new, $40.00; varnished buffet, $10.00; oil heater, like new, $50.00. Apply M. E. Wright, Amisk. C S-3 S-10

PERSONAL

CONGENIAL sincere widow, 40, with a home, wishes to correspond with a sincere single gentleman around 40. Box 12, 10815 Whyte Ave. C S-3-10-17

FOUND

FOUND.—Purse containing string of pearls; change purse; woman's raincoat. Owners may have same by identifying article and paying for this ad. Sereda Drug, 10440 Whyte Ave. C S-10

- WANTED -

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HELP WANTED

WANTED IMMEDIATELY — waitress for hotel. Accommodation provided. Good working conditions. Apply, Amisk Hotel Cafe, Amisk, Alta. C A-20-27-S-3-'0.

FISH AND MINK BOTH DISAPPEAR

LAC LA BICHE — At one time one of the most popular industries of the area, mink farming, is beginning to disappear.

One of the main reasons is that two years ago the lake lost its supply of fish, which died off due to lack of oxygen during the winter months.

Provincial authorities state that a heavy growth of weeds on the bottom of the lake used up the oxygen. Prior to depletion of supply, the lake was recognized as one of the best whitefish lakes in the region.

While mink farmers tried to find a fish supply elsewhere, it has not been working out. Now, with reduction in the price of mink pelts, many farmers have found it too costly, and have turned to alfalfa raising instead.

Arctic Supplies On the Way

OTTAWA.—"Newfoundlander," a sturdy motor vessel is en route to the Arctic from Montreal carrying 18 tons of cargo for northern outposts.

Supplies and equipment will be year's expedition to the island by left at Clyde River on the eastern coast of Baffin Island for next the Arctic Institute of North America.

The expedition intends to make an intensive study of the vost glacier on Baffin among other things.

McMurray Has Two Post Offices

EDMONTON. — A. T. Penhorwood, Waterways postmaster, visited Edmonton recently and while in the provincial capital reminded correspondents with the Town of McMurray that it had two post offices.

Sending mail to persons in Waterways and addressing it McMurray resulted in delays, Mr. Penhorwood stated, as both localities had their own post office.

Farewell Party For Belecs

McMURRAY. — A party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Furnell last week in honor of Mr. and Mrs. H. Belec. The Signals in McMurray were all there, and they presented Mr. and Mrs. Belec with a toaster as a going away present.

The Belecs came to McMurray just over three years ago and are now being posted to Edmonton.

Mr. Hansen and Mr. Donaldson, from U.S.A., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Peressine.

Francoise Lourgand, from San Francisco, California, U.S.A., spent a few days here visiting friends and looking over his half-section of land at Big Bay. Mr. Lourgand with his wife, one son, father and mother, came to Lac la Biche, in April, 1912, and took homesteads at Big Bay.

Miss Lucille Tatum has returned home after spending two weeks touring Alberta and Saskatchewan. Miss Lucille has the agency for Rexair Conditioner and Humidifier also Lincoln Hosiery.

Mr. and Mrs. Tataki, from Two Hills, were here over the week-end. They were travelling in a 1949 Ford coach, selling tickets.

Miss Mary Watson, from Edmonton, is here visiting her father.

VENICE NEWS

VENICE. — Mr. Gildo Macor and Mr. Bruno Bevilacqua of Mickel, B.C., spent a couple of weeks visiting the two Macor families and friends.

Miss Lucille Ferro of Dawson, B.C., is visiting her parents, Mr.

Mrs. Mary Keehn of Edmonton, is back teaching at the Venice school.

Mr. Pete Warren of Hylo has the contract for conveying the grade 7, 8, 9, and 10 pupils of Venice to Hylo school.

Mrs. Camillo and family, Miss Bernice Bonifacio, all of Edmonton were visiting at the home of Mr. Pio Bonifacio and Mrs. Anna Macor.

A group of young couples gathered for a surprise party which took place at the home of Mrs. Anna Macor in honor of Mr. Bruno Bevilacqua on his departure to B.C.

Miss Laurette Piquette is back from Edmonton to supervise.

Miss Bernice St. Jean of Edmonton visited at the home of Mr. Arthur Biollo.

Miss Marie Rose Deschatelets and Mr. Albert Carrier of Edmonton visited at the home of John Piquette.

Masters Allen Waod and Oris Petrowsky are back home from the Lac la Biche hospital.

Mr. Joe Bonifacio and Arthur Macor has been seen sporting new tractors.

Rev. Father Ouellet has purchased a new English Ford car. Quite a contrast with his last one.

Miss Olga Federouk of Craigend spent the week-end at the home of Loveth Bakay.

Miss Lena Dube of Plamondon spent the week-end at the home of Laurette Piquette.

Library Meeting

RADWAY. — The members of Radway Community Library association held a meeting in Radway hall on Aug. 23, at which it was resolved to assist with $800 the purchase of community sports grounds in town.

Plans for a permanent library building also were discussed. President N. Bezborodka conducted the meeting and secretary-treasurer, A. J. Styra, reported on the association's finances.

Only one mail pouch was ever lost by the famous Pony Express.

Miss Shirley Hamilton, from Edmonton, is here for her holidays, visiting her sister, Mrs. Peressini.

Joe Tardif has a new Ford truck.

Ship is Returning South

EDMONTON—Transport work in the Arctic has been completed by the converted army transport landing craft, The Yellowknife Expeditor and the ship is returning south.

The ship has been encountering a lot of bad weather on its journey south. The voyage will end in Great Slave Lake, the journey being made from Kokiak, Alaska by way of Hering strait, the Arctic ocean and the Mackenzie river.

Alter Hospital Plan Area

ATHABASCA — Boyle, Grassland, Prosperity and Donatville will be divorced from the Athabasca Municipal Hospital District No. 13, subject to approval of Hon. W. W. Cross, health minister.

This is the result of a general plebiscite conducted at 10 polls, which favored withdrawal 502 to 89.

Plans were recently drawn for a $250,000 hospital and approval was to have been sought from the ratepayers of the entire hospital district. It is now doubtful if the hospital plan will proceed on such a large scale but a more modified proposal probably will be adopted.

EGG LAKE NEWS

(Too late for last week)

The dance that was held in Dionne school last Friday was a success. The raffle was won by Philip Dionne.

Mrs. Herman Olson has her mother, father, daughter and sister-in-law visiting here. They have all returned besides her father and mother who will pass a while with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Duperron are proud of their baby girl.

WEATHER

LAC LA BICHE — The following are the maximum and minimum temperatures for the week ending September 5th, 1949, at 05:30 p.m.

	Max.	Min.
August 30	70.7	34.0
August 31	81.7	40.9
September 1	73.1	52.0
September 2	70.7	51.9
September 3	70.9	47.4
September 4	65.6	37.9
September 5	69.1	34.8

No precipitation during the week.

Says Tropical Trinidad More Indian Than India

By JACK BIRD

(Fourth in a series of five)

Trinidad is the most tropical place I have seen outside South America. Its great groves of bamboo have stalks as thick as a man's arm, and 60 to 70 feet long.

So many Hindus are on the island, all dressed in their native costumes, that Trinidad, more than anywhere else I have been, reminds me of the many pictures I have seen of India.

The women wear silver bangles on wrists and ankles, ornaments in the left nostril, and verticle white marks on the forehead. The cattle, too, are peculiar to India, for they have a sort of hump at the shoulders, and draw large-wheeled carts.

The grasshoppers in Trinidad are six inches long. I brought back the wing of one: bright red with a black border.

TRINIDAD TO AMAZON

The South American coast from Trinidad all the way down to the Amazon is, what I saw of it, flat, level jungle-clad country, and the sea, as far out as I could view it, and as far south as daylight lasted, is, incontrast to the deep blue of the Caribbean, a dull muddy color. Especially was it like this at the mouth of the Orinoco, which is a delta of many islands. The enormous volume of water from this river sweeps miles out to sea in great streaky mud patches.

On the down trip we were just off the British Guiana coast when our pilot received word that an army plane had disappeared somewhere long here. So immediately we swung in just over the shore and began searching. We dropped to within 100 feet of the three tops, zigzagging, circling, and coursing up and down. We must have covered perhaps 500 miles this way until it began to grow dusk and we returned to our course.

TREE-TOP SEARCH

We were so close to the trees some times, during our search, that we could see the birds in them. And when we flew over they would all fly up in great fluttering clouds of white, black, or bright brilliant red, and some were a vivid blue with long, tapering tails.

During most of this part of the journey we seldom saw any actual shore, for the jungle grew not only to the water's edge, but right out into the sea itself so that it looked like a flooded area. We flew over scattered patches of swamp, with brown water and green scum, and short-length growth.

I saw several thatched habitations and dug-out canoes, but no human beings and no cultivated plots, just wild, primitive jungle, with no two trees quite the same height, but a great, dense, cluster of round-topped foliage of different shades. Probably I shall never again have such a good close air view of the jungle, as we searched for two hours, finding nothing of the lost plane, over the great green forests of British Guiana.

CROSS EQUATOR

It was 11:00 o'clock at night when we crossed the equator, which runs right through the mouth of the Amazon. The moon was bright and the river was a dull-silver color, while the islands and jungle were gray.

One may be 50 miles inside the mouth of the Amazon and not see either shore. And no wonder, for the mighty Amazon is almost 200 miles wide at the mouth; that is including the whole delta. The main body of the river, though, is 60 miles wide at this point.

(Continued next week)

"Assisted Suicide" Trial

EDMONTON. — Legal counsel and prosecutor have left Edmonton for Cambridge Bay prepared to conduct a strange trial into an "assisted suicide."

Assisted suicide is a custom of Eskimos and the federal government hopes to be able to persuade the Eskimo that the white man regards it as illegal.

Eerkiyott, 20-year-old Eskimo, is accused of strangling his mother, Nakashook, 44. He was assisted by another Eskimo, Ishakak, who is jointly charged. Nakashook was known to be tubercular.

The RCMP heard about the incident in January but the investigating party had been stalled all summer by unfavorable landing conditions at Spance Bay, on Boothia peinsula, some 300 miles east of Cambridge Bay, where incident occurred.

T. D. McDonald, Ottawa barrister, will act as defence counsel; John Parker of Yellowknife will be crown prosecutor. Dr. J. H. MacDonald of Charles Camsell hospital, who acted as coroner for the inquest at Spence Bay, accompanied the party.

Fashion Note: Sloping Shoulders

Women will have to get used to yet another change in their silhouette if they accept the latest London fashions. The new line shows a sloping shoulder usually achieved by means of a shoulder cape falling from a high built-up collar, somewhat similar to that worn by men about the turn of the 18th century. To balance this the waist is neat but not unduly small—gone are the restricting little corsets which the designers tentatively brought in a few seasons ago—skirts moderately full, and hips gracefully accented by means of large pockets. Some of the overcoats showed a kind of pyramid line from the sloping shoulder to width and fullness at the hem. Skirts are decidedly shorter—14 to 15 inches from the ground—for day, although for afternoon dresses another inch may be added. For the evening, skirt-lines show a marked change, with long overskirts and tight underskirts revealing the ankles. The double-tiered dress for afternoon wear promises to be popular—a model on those lines was recently worn by the Duchess of Kent and aroused considerable interest. Materials used in all the dress houses included, for the first time to any extent for some years, Irish tweeds as well as Scottish, and some heavy pile woollens which, in some shades of green, looked like moss.

"Gates of Glory"

T. B. Windross, founder and publisher for nine years of The Spotlight, has written a book of poems which is receiving a very favorable reception from the general public.

"The Gates of Glory" takes its volume. The first edition is alittle from the feature poem of the ready nearly sold out.

Born in Whitehaven, Cumberland, England, Mr. Windross came to Canada as a boy. He has spent most of his life in Edmonton.

Mr. Windross's many friends in Alberta and throughout Canada will wish him every success in his publication ventures.

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The Stage Coach Returns to London

A useful dollar-earner is the 150-year-old coach now trundling round London, England, every day with loads of American visitors, who find a novelty in seeing the old city in the old way. Run by the Stage Coach Company, it is driven by "Yorky" Wilson, former coachman to the Lord Mayor of London, who is accompanied by the red-coated guard who blows his long horn to give warning of approach in traffic. A round trip of the "sights", starting and finishing at the Milestone Hotel, Kensington, takes 1½ hours. The coach holds 12 people in comfort and offers an excellent vantage point for vision. This picture shows the stage coach passing the Victoria Memorial opposite Buckingham Palace, and watched by a young American officer and his wife who are on leave from Germany. (Picture circulated May 1949).

New Fields Lead Continent

Developments in the Alberta oil fields during the past two and a half years have been as important as any in recent years on the American Continent and will prove as far-reaching in economic effect as any previous single event in Canada's own history.

Within that period, two major fields—Leduc-Woodbend and Redwater—have overwhelmed the consumer needs of the Prairie Provinces, embracing Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, at around 65,000 barrels daily, even under severe voluntary rationing to meet refining capacity.

Interprovincial Pipe Line Co. (Imperial) will extend distribution to the large consumer market in Ontario and Quebec. Route is being surveyed for a 1,200 mile pipeline from the fields, via Regina, to a port on the Great Lakes, whence tankers will make delivery at Imperial's 65,000-barrel refinery at Sarnia, Ontario. The line should be in operation as far as Regina in the latter part of 1950. Extension of the pipeline into United States may follow.

While estimates of potentials of these major fields under best producing practices can only be approximate under present restricted rates of production, it is a reasonable assumption that within the next few years, Canada's own oil supply could render her independent of imported product.

National consumption runs between 270,000 to 275,000 barrels of crude daily, largely imported from United States and Venezuela. At least half that amount could be domestically produced now if refining and marketing facilities were available and some estimates have run as high as 200,000 barrels daily, with but part of the new fields developed, and a vast area untouched.

Substitution of domestic supply for the foreign product, now one of the largest items of import, so far as monetary value is concerned, would have a most salutary effect upon the nation's economy by eliminating what has until now been a constantly increasing outgo of American dollars.

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Monkey's Affairs Straightened Out

The story of a kidnapped unhappy monkey, a man arrested for theft, and a small circus minus one of its star attractions, came to a happy conclusion in Edmonton police court recently.

When Clifford Descheneaux appeared on a charge of stealing the monkey from the Golden Gate Shows in Edson, Donald Masson, crown prosecutor, asked that the charge be withdrawn. Mr. Masson said the costs of the action had been paid.

Background information revealed that the accused, an employee of the show for three years, had become very attached to the monkey, and on leaving the show Monday, just couldn't leave it behind. The impulsive action led to his arrest here Monday night.

The monkey, very upset by everything, caused a lot of trouble for attendants in the C.N.R. baggage rooms.

However, when the smoke cleared away Wednesday, the accused was free, he was reinstated in his job with his pet, and the circus owner, Archie Mitchell, once more was operating a contented family show.

Preparing Young Trees for Winter

If young trees, during their first summer in the orchard, have been maintained in a state of vigorous growth by means of thorough irrigation and cultivation, it is usually advisable to steady down their vigor somewhat in August and September. It will help to accomplish this result if hoeing around the trees is discontinued during the latter part of August, and at this time irrigation may also be lessened or may cease entirely, care being taken, however, to prevent the lighter soils from becoming really dry.

In this way the trees will have become matured for winter by late October or early November, and at that time a careful check should be made of soil moisture moisture conditions. If September and October have been dry, there is real danger of root injury to the trees if low winter temperatures occur before there has been sufficient snowfall to protect or to saturate the soil. Consequently, under such conditions, thorough irrigation should be applied early in November, immediately before the soil freezes, and there is, at this late date, no danger of unduly stimulating the trees.

If mice have been seen in the orchard during the preceding winter or summer, poison stations should be placed in position before the first snowfall of winter. Instructions for making these stations, and for preparing the bait for them, are given in government bulletins and in the Spray Calendar for British Columbia. To be most effective, the stations should be placed at every second tree. Guards of screen-wire, placed around the trunk to a height of at least a foot above ground and buried two inches under ground, are also quite effective in preventing mouse damage. They have the disadvantage of the initial cost and of requiring considerable attention throughout the season to ensure that they do not become displaced during summer cultivation and irrigation. The screens are also only partially effective against burrowing species of mice.

If summer cultivation around the young trees has been thorough, there will be no trash near the trunks to harbor mice, but a check should be made to see that no such material has accumulated. A watch should also be kept for pocket gophers, and, if fresh mounds are seen, traps or poison should be used before winter sets in.

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United Kingdom proposals for promoting scientific and technical cooperation in Western Europe have been unanimously adopted by the Working Party of the Organization for European Economic Cooperation. They will be the basis of a five-point program of research collaboration submitted to the council of OEEC. Specific United Kingdom recommendations were for ways and means of retailing results of new research work to researchers in all participating countries and for cooperative research work when high cost and technical skill can be shared by more tha one country.

Uncover 14th Century Murels

Some 14th century paintings discovered recently hidden under limewash and distemper at Longthorpe Tower near Peterborough in Northamptonshire, England, are considered by experts to be the most impressive example of medieval secular mural decoration in Britain. Longthorpe Tower was built in 1300, and the paintings are attributed to the first half of the 14th century.

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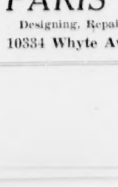
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World in Review

London. — British diplomatic opinion believes Russia will not resort to force in its dispute with Yugoslavia, but that every pressure short of war will be employed.

New York. — Church membership in the U.S.A., according to the Christian Herald, gained 2,190,164 in the past year, bringing the total of religious bodies to 79,576,352.

Canberra, Australia. — Great Britain will confer with representatives of Australia and New Zealand in an attempt to build up a Pacific defence pact.

The Hague. — A conference between Dutch and Indonesian leaders which opened here is expected to result in a united states or Indonesia linked to Holland in a union similar to the British Commonwealth. To signalize opening of negotiations, the flag of independence was permitted by the Netherlands authorities to fly legally over Indonesia for the first time.

Washington. — Republican policy leaders are urging $100,000,000 be included in arms appropriation for aid to China and Southeast Asia.

Honolulu. — Mediator is trying to re-start union-employer negotiations to halt Hawaii's four-month dock strike which has practically paralyzed island trade.

Frankfort, Germany. — Rightest parties will control the new West German government. Question now is how far to the right the Christian Democrats, largest single party, will have to go to establish an effective coalition.

London. — Britain is having its best tourist year; 560,000 visitors are expected to spend $220,000,000.

Turkey. — In spite of Russian protests, the party of American scientists is proceeding to climb Mount Ararat in search of Noah's Ark. Tass, Ararat Soviet news agency, at the same time revealed that Russian scientists digging close to Ararat discovered that stone-age men lived near the Biblical mountain long before the Ark landed after the flood. Ararat is in Turkey just across the Russian border.

London. — As U.S.A.-Canada Britain trade talks opened, Rt. Hon. Anthony Eden, Winston Churchill's right-hand man, warned that a split between U.S.A. and Britain right now might endanger future of the world.

Lausanne, Switzerland. — Israel and Arab states have agreed to cooperate in an economic survey of the Middle East designed to accelerate settlement of the refugee problem in Palestine.

Edinburgh. — The third festival of the arts opened with prospects of being most successful.

Atlantic City—Titianium, newest of the metals, is to be subject of a special symposium at the American Chemical Society's annual meeting here September 18. Lighter than steel, stronger than aluminum, as well as extremely resistant to corrosion, its future among the metals seems assured.

Ottawa — An expedition left Moosonee, on James Bay, to explore two Arctic islands lying off the coast of Baffin Island. As far as is known, they have never been visited by man before.

Rome—Soviet hold on Albania is reported in jeopardy. Only Russian extensive aid can keep the government of Premier Enver Hoxha in power as a satellite.

Turkey—Because of poor crops, Turkey is marketing fine gold abroad to buy Canadian wheat.

Stockholm — More homes and lower taxes have been promised by Sweden's socialist government to appease Employees' Associations who are protesting prolongation of pegged wages and prices. Pegging was designed to stimulate exports and curb inflation.

Melbourne, Australia — Australia is now making newsprint from hardwood for domestic consumption.

Lake Success — United Nations Scientific Conference on Conservation and Utilization of Resources has been told that fish farming is helping to solve the food shortage problem in Asia.

Hong Kong — Generalissimo Chaing Kai-shek has returned from retirement to active participation in efforts to revive Chinese National Forces.

London — Britain's Socialist government has turned to a policy of retrenchment deemed necessary to preserve dollar credit. Strong opposition is expected from the Left.

1913 Oil Patent Still Valid

EDMONTON. — In a judgment handed down recently, Mr. Justice J. Boyd McBride ruled that a patent issued in 1913 still entitles the owner to oil and natural gas royalties today.

Mr. Justice McBried awarded the oil and gas royalties to Huggard Assets Ltd., on a total of 1,320 acres of land in the Athabasca area. Defendants were the provincial Attorney-General and the Minister of Lands and Mines.

He found that despite transfer of mineral resources from the Dominion government to the province in 1930, the original grant of the royalties still stood. He acknowledged obscurity of the wording of the patent, but stated this was insufficient to nullify it.

Fire-Starters

Federal statistics show that up to June this year, settlers started 11 per cent of forest fires in the preceding 12 months. Ontario blames 23 per cent of its forest fires on settlers, and four per cent on loggers. In Manitoba, a great many of the recent fires are believed to have been set by lightning strikes. Just the same, in the past year there has been evidence that quite a number were set off by settlers burning brush, and in one or two cases incendiarism was suspected.

Far too much railing is done about the carelessness of the greenhorn tourist in the woods. In reality a higher tally should be laid at the door of those who live in the woods, or spend a good deal of their time there, such as prospectors, trappers and others who should know better.

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EDMONTON, — MLA's and newspapermen have returned from Bitumount forecasting that results of the experiment will be an "eye-opener" for oil interests. Results may not be known for another year.

Stories of the visit are still appearing in Edmonton newspapers.

Elmer Adkins, general superintendent of the plant, said his staff of 50 were determined to do every thing possible to prove that oil and gasoline can be put on the market at prices comparable with normal methods of oil production.

If this is possible it would probably revolutionize the entire world oil picture.

Geologists have estimated as high as enough to supply entire world production for the next 20,000 years in talking about the McMurray tar sands potential. While to more cautious authorities, this estimate appears fantastic, it is known that only Hollywood language could describe the total resources of the tar sands.

Joint Manoeuvres Te Be Carried Out

OTTAWA.—Joint winter training exercises will be carried out next January and February by Canadian and United States forces in the Yukon and Alaska.

Defence Minister Brooke Claxton stated the manoeuvres were to develop procedures, doctrines and techniques for the employment of combined army and air forces of the two nations operating in the far north.

Exercise "Cross Index," as it will be called, he described as "local in nature and on a comparatively small scale."

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Winter Closing For Bitumount

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Decision to close was made by the government because of danger that the pumping system might become blocked, as the water intake is close to a sand-bar. Construction of a $50,000 water line up the Athabasca river to a point where sand-bars would not interfere is being considered.

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With thoughts turning to the future when it will again be necessary to sell goods, this episode can be adapted to business speeches. The sales manager of a large manufacturer fondly patted the order book on his desk saying, "This is the thing that puts business on the books of our company year after year." Turning to the advertising manager, he remarked, "I'd like to ask if you can show me a single order that advertising ever put on our books."

The advertising manager replied, "I think I can answer your question if you'll first answer one for me. Will you show me a single load of hay that the sun ever put in a barn?"—"The Open Book."

ASKS ANNULMENT AFTER ONE CARD

SAN FRANCISCO — Former Air Force Officer Gregory Bruno filed suit for annulment in Superior Court here. He said his bride, Hazel, left their Sacramento home three years ago for a brief visit in San Francisco. Since that time, he said, the only word he had from her was one post card from Ro de Janeiro.

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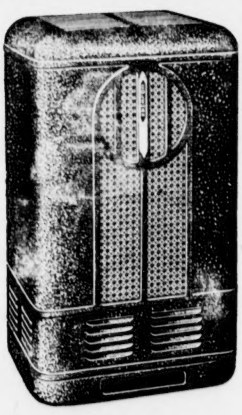

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